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Friday - 20 June 1958

1. Made arrangements with Henry Hoyt of the Department of State for them to review the transcript of the Director's appearance before the Inter-American Affairs Subcommittee of House Foreign Affairs Committee.

2. Discussed with William S. Woodyear, State Department, the proposed Omnibus Foreign Service legislation and made arrangements to forward to him a copy of the Director's letter of 23 May 1958 to the Bureau of the Budget. Woodyear advised that the Bureau of the Budget had cleared the legislation with some changes and hearings would be held on the Senate side in about ten days.

3. Talked with Mr. Manatos in the office of Senator Joseph C. O'Mahoney (Wyo.) to make arrangements for a constituent to view the pipe organ in the Washington Auditorium.

4. Telephoned Congressman Joe Holt's office and talked with Miss Porter to make arrangements for the breakfast on 2 July. She will furnish us with a list of the SOS Club members as well as those expected to attend.

5. After discussion with William Bundy, Colonel Edwards and Stan Grogan, I telephoned Congressman Charles O. Porter (Oreg.) and informed him that it was our policy to offer no comment on matters such as [redacted] and under the circumstances there was no reason to change that policy in this case. This was satisfactory with Mr. Porter who had had second thoughts on the matter in any event and felt he was being placed in a difficult position and did not wish to take any further action on it. I believe this settles the matter as far as the Congressman is concerned.

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7. D'Arcy Brent telephoned to indicate that the briefing of the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy on the scope of the Director's proposed briefing went very well. It was indicated that the Committee would be ready for the Director some time between the 26th of June and 3 July.

cc: DD/S

Col. Grogan

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